Humphreys' Seventy-Seven

spring" develops a fine crop of Colds, causing an increased demand for "Seventy-seven," Care- Said That Judge Will Name May ess people change their garments too soon, and Colds are the in-

taken at the first chill or shiver will break up the Cold. 25c, or

lons of Liquor Are

Destroyed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch]

BRISTOL, VA., April 17.—Deputy
Collector J. McBroom and Special Officer T. F. Conner, of the internal revenue service, returned to Bristol, today, following the most successful raid yet made among the "moonshiners" of Floyd county, Va. Those officers captured six copper stills of from 100 to 200 gallons capacity each, and destroyed them, together with 5,090 gallons of whiskey and beer, Jim Rogan and W. T. Young were caught, and were taken before a commissioner, when they gave bend for their angents of the special contents of the conte



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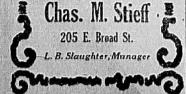
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HANDS OF GOURT

More Than 300 Citizens Sign Request for Local Option Election.

FORMAL CEREMONY

27 or June 3 for the Voting.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 162 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., April 17.

The petition for a local option elec ion in Petersburg was placed in the ands of Judge Mullen, of the Hustings Court this morning. It is signed by over 300 qualified voters, more than required to render the petition legal. There was no formal ceremony in the presentation and reception of the paper, It was simply handed to and received by the judge. It is understood that Judge Mullen will name May 27 or June 3, in issuing his order, as the day for holding the election.

Death of Mrs. Emmett Ragland, wife of Captain Emmett Ragland, after an illness of only several days of pneucourt this morning. It is signed by

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Address by Dr. Sargen.

Ad

at Market Street Methodist Church Sunday morning.

The committee of citizens who went to Washington to Invite President Taft to visit Petersburg on May 19, returned last night, greatly delighted with their interview with the President, and more pleased still at the success of their visit. The President will spend a day in Petersburg, and will spend a day in Petersburg, and will spend at the unveiling of the Pennsylvania menument at Fort Mahone.

Nancy Ruffin, a faithful colored servant, for over twenty years in the family of Alexander Wilson, and a type of the Old Virginia servant, died a day or two agos

ervant, for over twenty years in the amily of Alexander Wilson, and a ype of the Old Virginia servant, died I day or two agostants of the Cold Virginia servant, died I day or two agostants are served bruised, and marrowly escaped broken bones esterday by a fall from a building on which he was at work at Fenilworth Park, in Dinwiddle county.

J. N. Beck, authorized agent for the sale of the bonds of the county of Dinwiddle, issued for the improvement of the bubble roads, announces hat bids for the same will be received mill May 1. The bonds will be received mill May 1. The bonds will sell well. The brick residence of J. M. McS. Buchanan, on West Tabb Street, was offered for sale at auction yesterday on a limit of \$5,500, and was withdrawn on a bid of \$6,350.

Sunday School Anniversary.

Grove Avenue Baptiet Church Sunday school will celebrate its fourth arsulversary Sunday afternoon with interesting execrises, embracing orchestral music and singing and recitations by the school. A gold medal will be presented to the scholar showing the best attendance.

Sylvanus Williams, a well known Peteraburger, is ill of pneumonia at his home in Norfolk, and his condition is faid to be critical. His brother, Morthur Williams, of this city, left this afternoon to be with him.

Rev. S. J. Batten, pastor of West Street Methodist Church, has been confined to his home by sickness for two weeks.

Mrs. B. B. Schenck, an aged resident of Dinwiddie county, who was severber.

ed to his home by stokenss for two eks.

Mrs. B. B. Schenck, an aged resident Dinwiddie county, who was severly rit by a fall some days ago, had one her legs amputated at the hospital it night. Mrs. Schenck is seventy-o years old, and her husband, who is eighty-seven years of age, died by a few days ago.

Edward Thomas Edwards died this lernoon at his home, on Chappell rest, aged fifty-six.

Evangelistic services will be contacted every night next week at the lookover our stock.

Monday's Bargain Flood Tide of After-Easter Sale!

The beginning of the end. The After-Easter Sale will close Tuesday in a bargain whirlwind. But Monday will be the highwater mark—the flood-tide of the sale. Broken assortments, odd sizes and styles, late arrivals, remnants and unusual special purchases will sell at a rapid rate and at half give-away prices. This is the result of our Spring Opening and Easter Sale!

ment on the second floor a number of the most remarkable values ever

Coat Sults—Splendid Material and the very prettiest shades of black, blue and green. Skirt and coat button trimmed. Other stores ask \$12.00 to \$20.00; our \$12.98 price....

Chiffen Infetn Suits—Both dark and light blue, trimmed with buttons and embroidery, and very chic. These silk suits are \$10.00 Monday \$10.00

50e Dress Goods-Striped cheeks

59c and 65c; Monday at only,
Mercerized Volles and Mercerized
Pongees—Bought from a wholesater
who was discounting dress goods of
this style. Therefore, since 15c
grade in after-Easter sale at
Henry Weight Velles—All pure
wool, 41 inches wide, reseda, Ian,
navy blue and, black. A speelat purchase, so you get a 54c
\$1.00 value at...

\$6.00 Skirts at \$3.98

Two rousing bargains in skirts

Blik is a great seller this season. Black taffeta, rich and stylish like this lot, is very popular. All pure silk, 35 inches wide. A pick- up in New York: Monday at 66c only.

Vesterday we received, among other things, this lot of Volles, in checks, plaids and plain colors. Not all colorings. Bought 5c as to sell at 12½c grade: 5c Monday at J.

Pajanna Checks—35 inches wide, and in a most desirable 12½c quality. In this After- Easter Sale you take your 9/2c choice Monday at only.

A limited number of yards, but

A limited number of yards, but unlimited range of patterns and colorings. Silk mixed goods, made of equal patts of rich silk and fine mercerized cotton. Sold 12/2c only.

Monday morning a few dozen of these 12-4 size \$1.50 White Quilts will go on sale. Marselles patterns; but hecause they have a \$1.05 they last only, each....

Our Queen Quality Cot-on-Long cloth finish,

Women's Drawers, Short skirts and Coract Covers—Good 25c quality, well made; excellent 25c see grade, Monday at...... Short skirts, Govins and Coract Covers—Made of

Big Monday Values!

75e Shirtweists—Made of Madras and percales, light and dark colors. Monday this 75c 48c 75e Pettleonts-Mercerized, black only, deep corded flounce, cut generally full. Monday 50c at 175e Dress Nets-Full 45 inches wide. Monday at 48c only Spiendid \$1.25 White Quilis 79c

\$25.00 Suits at \$7.50 | A Sale of Dress Goods | Mighty Specials! | Muslin Underwear | Mercerized Poplin

A big sale at late prices. These two offers were bought low and are going to swell these after-Easter sale bargains. Plain colors and Bengaline stripes; most 19c ringing 25c grade, Monday.

Silk Ginghams—Shepherd checks, large assortment of patterns. This is a corking bargain at 25c only.

Great Silk Values

Lot 1—Rough Silks—Splendid quality and 23 inches wide, decidely in demand, all pure silk and the most delightful shades of Copenhagen, navy blue and cream. But they are in broken assertments and the mill closed them out at a sacrifice; Monday, \$1.00 58C grade at...

Lot 2—Pinin Silks, Also Checked and Figured Silks—In the beautiful soft clinging weaves that give the desired fine lines and appearance of brightness to the figure. New and popular colors, exceptional 56 value, width 29 to 30 inches. Our New York buyer failed to get this lot here before Easter, there is 28C only

634c \$5 Petticoats \$3.98

ticonts—In rich black and colors, ruffles and full cut; Monday, at

Faulkner & Warrinerlo

5c

Monday's price

\$5 Net Waists \$2.98 Silk Net Waists, white,

Also Apron Ginghams,

thread, good lengths,

18½c

Corsets, 50c to \$1 Short. Medium and Long Corsets, with sup-porters; worth 59c, 50c. Batiste Corsets, all new lengths and shapes, for effective dressing, draw-string top, \$1.00.

Scene of the Princess and the comic and typical songs of Tabulu. In the second act, the incantation scene of Myssa and Phila was followed by the martial trumpet chorus, after which came the pardon scene of the captive Queen, followed by the triumphant chorus of the King's return and the prayer of Hathor. The music of the poperata at this point reached almost the effect of grand opera. The transition to the final scene was furnished by the song revels of the court maid can be the beautiful Egyptian dance of six of the valuing attendants of the Queen.

The rapid succession of rich pletures, with the inspiring music, by turns, stately and catchy, gave an effect of color, motion, beauty and melody that will not soon be forgotten. The students of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored a real artistic trimph worthy—of the traditions of the college, scored and allege and the college and the college and the college and tradition to the success and achievement of that historic institution.

Personal and Otherwise Dispatch. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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Rev. S. C. Hatcher, D.D., of Farmwille, is visiting friends in the city, and
will preach to his former congregation
at Market Street Methodist Church
The committee of cities.

Evidence Not All Given in Case of Couviet Who Was Killed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BEDFORD CITY, VA., April 17.—
This morning the body of George Jones, a negre convict, who was shot yesterday morning near Big Island by Mr. Will, the captain of the force of convicts at work on the county roads, while trying to make his escape, was brought to Bedford City and a coroner's jury was summoned, which adjourned without rendering a verdict hecause all of the evidence had not been brought in.

Jones, who had planned to escape, had succeeded in filing the bands that fastened the spike to his anicle, and when his opportunity came slipped it off and left it where he was at work smeary his companions, and quietly likeseed the spike to his anicle, and when his opportunity came slipped it

on and left if where he was at work among his companions, and quietly slipped away, not running but walking in a stooping position until he reached a ditch. When it was discovered that he had made his escape, one of

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Goods

Second Baptist Church. Rev. W. H.
Lawson, of Chester, will preach.
G. Grosvenor Dawe, managing director of the Southern Commercial Congress, and Mrs. Dawe are spending a week in Petersburg as the guests of Charles Hall Davis.

BUSINESS INCREASE.

He guards fired upon him, but as he continued to move slowly away, Mr.
Will began firing, inflicting fatal wounds, from which the man soon ded. He was a native of Montgomery county. The offense of housebreaking for which he was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years was committed in Nansemond county, where he was stried

ANNUAL DEBATE.

APPROACHES BITTERNESS.

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Legislative Contest in Nausemond County Grows Warm.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SUFFOLK, VA., April 17.—Tho Nausemond county legislative contest has reached a degree of torridity approaching bitterness. Robert W. Withers, the incumbent, to-day issued a challenge to his opponent, Colonel J. E. West, a member of Governor Swanson's staff, for a joint debate at Crittenden next Saturday. Mr. Withers carly to-night gave out a copy of the challenge, saying that he had not received a reply. Colonel Wost, when seen later, said he had just received the challenge and would not reply tonight gave out a feel with the challenge on the "common courtesy" shown by Mr. Withers in giving the challenge to the press before his reply was sent.

Allma Found Guilty,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SALISBURY, N. C., April 17—Charged with retailing without license, Fayett Allma, formerly a bar clerk here, was yesterday tried before Judge B. Miller, in the Recorder's Court here, and found guilty in seven cases. He was held under a bond of \$1,000 for a further investigation before sentence is passed. The case was hard fought, able lawyers appearing on each side, this being one of the first of the kind to be tried in Salisbury.

Going to Mexico.

CHERITON, VA., April 17.—Harry
Henning, who has been under the care
of a physician in Nortolk, will leave
Tuesday for New Mexico. He will sive
a farewell talk Sunday in Eastville
and Cheriton Baptist Churches.

EDITOR OFFERED POST

Mr. Scott, of Pertland, May Become Ambassador to Mexico.
PORTLAND, ORE, April 17.—It was said to-day that Harvey W. Scott, editor of the Pertland Oregonian, had been offered the post of ambassador to Mexico, but no announcement has been made as to whether he will accept it.

Planting Large Acresge,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch]
FREELING, VA., April 17.—Farm
wock is progressing fairly well in this
section, From present indications there
will be a much larger acreage planted
out in spring crops than usual. Com
is not very plentiful, owing to the
smount that has been consumed by the
logging teams. The price of corn has

MAY GET PARLON.

Friends of Major Martin Are Active in His Behalf.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., April 17.—It is stated that a movement is on foot to take up with Governor Kitchin the matter of a pardon few Major W. H. Martin, who is serving a ten years' sentence in the State prison for a \$15,000 defalcation in the State treasury during the administration of State Treasury during the default of the form of the form of the form of the second that Governor Kitchin will call in the counsel of State to advise him in the complete review of the case and final action as to the pardon, Martin has served eight years of the sentence, and has been a model prisoner. He was a major in the Federal army, and settled in this State at the close of the war, being for a long while active in politics.

of a Creamery,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
FREDERICKSBURG, VA, April 1
largely attended meeting of the bu
men of the city and farmers of the
rounding countries was held in the
house here to-day under the auspices of W. A. Wright. The announcement or a decision for the affirmative was met with great applause.

R. V. Lancaster presided at the occasion, F. R. Chenault and R. M. White acting as first and second vice-president. E. L. James was chief marshal, and had as his assistants R. H. Payne and C. T. Logan.

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Wire Corporation at Burkeville Discharges
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BURKEVILLE, VA., April 17.—The
Burkeville Wire Corporation, the main office
of which is 143 Liberty Street, New York,
has closed its plant in this town. Two
years are this factory was established by
Droege Bros. & Co., who moved here from

the Toss.

Enstern Shore Dances.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CAPE CHARLES, VA., April 17.—P. M.
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Train leaves C. and O. Station 9 A.
M.; returning, leaves Williamsburg 6:33
P. M.
Tickets on sale at Childrey Drug Co.
First and Broad; Crenshaw's, Eleventh
men of this town last night. Guests
Franklin, and at C. and O. Station, on
were present from all the principal April 24.

gone to \$1 a bushel, and the indications are that it will probably go ligher. Feed is plentiful and stock looks well. There is a considerable demand for cattle.

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OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Post at Farmville Is Now in Good Working

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] FREDERICKS HALL, VA., April 17.—The store and other property occupied by J. E. Crank & Company, was totally destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The origin of the fire is unknown. The insurance on the property it is stated will not over

is unknown. The insurance on the property, it is stated, will not cover the loss.

Dauce at Exmere,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
EXMORE, VA., April 17.—An Easter dance was given by the young men of this town last evening in Kellam's Hall, About thirty couples were present,

Hickmond—Mapp.

CAPE CHARLES, VA., April 17.—
Miss Nora E. Mapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. G. Mapp, of Savage's Neck, near Eastville, and H. W. Hickmond, of Painter, Accomae county, were married Thursday. On account of bereavement in the family, no invitations were sent out, the marriagd being a very quiet one.

\$1--- Round Trip--- \$1



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